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Luigi Giusto Spagnoli, Sabina Pucci, Gianmarco Contino, Gennaro Citro, Giuseppe Novelli

A copy of the filing receipt with the corrections written thereon is enclosed. Also enclosed is a copy of the Application Data Sheet which was filed on June 18, 2007 which has the names of the inventors stated correctly, so that the necessary corrections may be made on the filing receipt.

Respectfully submitted,

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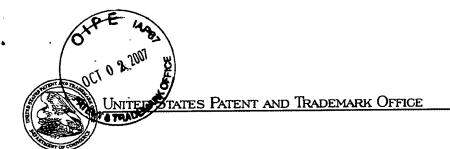
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Title

Anti-Ube4a/Ufd2b Polyclonal Antibody and Its Use Thereof as Diagnostic and Prognostic Marker of 11Q23 Region Alterations

**Preliminary Class** 

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